## IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE DISTRICT OF DELAWARE

SRI INTERNATIONAL, INC., a California corporation,

:

Plaintiff,

v. : Civil Action No. 04-1199-SLR

INTERNET SECURITY SYSTEMS, INC., a Delaware corporation, INTERNET SECURITY SYSTEMS, INC., a Georgia corporation, and SYMANTEC CORPORATION, a Delaware corporation,

ration,

## **ORDER**

At Wilmington this 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October, 2005,

Defendants.

IT IS ORDERED that:

1. A two-day mediation conference has been scheduled as follows:

Monday, May 8, 2006 beginning at 10:00 a.m. Mediation between plaintiff and defendant Internet Security Systems, Inc. only.

Tuesday, May 9, 2006 beginning at 10:00 a.m. Mediation between plaintiff and defendant Symantec Corporation only.

2. The trial attorneys and those who are familiar with the case and their respective clients and/or decision makers, who must include individuals with full authority to act on behalf of the parties, including the authority to negotiate a resolution of the matter, must be present. In addition, under separate cover, the direct dial telephone work numbers and cell or home numbers of in-state and out-of-state counsel who will be

attending the mediation shall be provided to the Magistrate Judge. Where a party is unrepresented by counsel, that party shall provide direct dial telephone work numbers and cell or home numbers. Attendance at the mediation by the aforementioned individuals is required unless otherwise authorized by the Court. Any request to modify this requirement shall be made in writing to the Magistrate Judge, with a copy to all counsel or pro se parties, no later than **fourteen (14) days** before the mediation.

Any request to bring electronic equipment, including cell phones, to be used during the mediation shall be made in writing under separate cover, must accompany the mediation statements, and shall include the name(s) and the equipment to be used.

- 3. A teleconference has been scheduled to be held on Thursday, April 6, 2006 at 5:00 p.m. EST to discuss the status of the case and the mediation. Defense counsel shall initiate the teleconference call.
- 4. On or before Friday, April 28, 2006, each party shall submit to the Magistrate Judge ONLY AN ORIGINAL and ONE COPY of the mediation conference statement. The mediation conference statements shall not be filed with the Clerk's Office. However, the mediation statement shall be delivered to the Clerk's Office in an envelope addressed to U. S. Magistrate Mary Pat Thynge and marked "CONFIDENTIAL MEDIATION STATEMENT." The statements shall not be exchanged among the parties or counsel, shall not be provided to the trial judge and shall not become part of the record in this matter. Mediation statements shall NOT be electronically filed since they are not part of the Court record.
  - 5. The mediation conference statements may be in memorandum or

letter form, and shall be as follows: Plaintiff's statement is limited to no more than **twenty-five (25) pages**, **double spaced in length**, **12 pt. font**. **Each** defendant's statement is limited to no more than **eighteen (18) pages**, **double spaced in length**, **12 pt. font**. They shall contain the following:

- a) A description of who the parties are, their relationship, if any, to each other and by whom each party is represented, **including the identity of all** individuals participating on behalf of a party during the mediation conference.
- b) A brief factual background, clearly indicating those facts not in dispute.
- c) A brief summary of the law, including applicable statutes, cases and standards. Any unreported decisions including decisions from this jurisdiction, are to be included as exhibits.
- d) An **honest** discussion of the party's claims and/or defenses, including the strengths and weaknesses of the party's position.
- e) A brief description or history of prior settlement negotiations and discussions, including the party's assessment as to why settlement has not been reached, the party's proposed term(s) for a resolution and a description of how the party believes the Court may be able to assist in reaching an agreement.
- f) The amount of attorneys' fees and costs **listed separately** that have been incurred by the party to date, with a fair estimate of such additional fees and expenses, including expert witness fees, if this matter is not settled. In the case of a contingency fee or non-hourly rate fee arrangement, the percentage of that fee, if applicable, the number of hours and costs incurred by the party to date, with a fair estimate

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of additional expenses, including expert witness fees, and the amount of hours if this

matter is not settled.

6. Crucial or pertinent documents or other documentary evidence or a

summary of said documents may be submitted as exhibits to the settlement conference

statement. Counsel are cautioned to limit such exhibits.

7. Those participating in the mediation conference shall be available and

accessible throughout the process. The Court expects the parties' full and good faith

cooperation with the mediation process.

8. The parties may each submit a video-tape to assist the Court in

understanding the basis of the claims and patent(s) involved.

9. The contents of the mediation conference statements and the

conference discussions, including any resolution or settlement, shall remain

confidential, shall not be used in the present litigation, nor any other litigation

presently pending or filed in the future, and shall not be construed as nor constitute

an admission. Breach of this provision shall subject the violator to sanctions.

Local counsel are reminded of their obligations to inform out-of-state counsel

of this Order. To avoid the imposition of sanctions, counsel shall advise the Court

immediately of any problems regarding compliance with this Order.

/s/ Mary Pat Thynge

UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE